Abby Mann, from Jerry Ray's tape received 10/3/76 AM America, Chicago station, probably a week ago.

Intro says he has done "a great deal of original research during the past year" into King assassination. Appears to say he will be first witness before new committee. Asked what is the most important single piece of evidence that "you gave the Congressman that decided them to change their minds."

He talks about "the most shocking thing that I found," then boasts of creating Kojak and says "but it didn't take a Kojak to do this." He appears to have declined to identify his most important evidence.

Whatever it was he checked it out with Mark Lane because of his respect for him as an investigator. Then says he talked to "the Attorney General of Alabama." Claims "Some of it had been public knowledge for years but nobody had put it together."

Says some black policemen that "some people felt they would not have the guts to come forward."

Talk about "city employees that day" not clear thoughts to make out.

What did those people have to do with Dr. Martin Luther King the first day?"

"Well, they had a great deal to do." Followed by a long political irrelevance about the changes in the south. Never says what. Then asked about "During your investigation, all your research work, who di you think really killed Dr. King?"

He "can't talk about it" but "I have no definitive idea."

When woman questioner says "You talk about an FBI agent, a former FBU agent that you (her emphasis) uncovered--" He interrupts to say "Yes." He says no more except that when the very same people who tapped King conducted the investigation, "Now how much of an investigation could that have been?"

Says he spoke to Ray's ex-attorney, i.e. Livingston.

The only thing comprehensible is that Ray could not get out of Memphis, which seems not be be what anyone would say.

Says he "really can't" say what Livingston told him. It is not AM America, it is I think Good Morning America.

Less about the assassination I can't imagine.